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GROWING CROPS INJURED

Disastrous Cloudburst Causes
Tremendous Amount of
Damage.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Harrisonburg, Va., June 16.—This
county was visited last night by a
disastrous cloudburst, which not only
did thousands of dollars' damage to
personal property, but has done incal-
culable damage to growing crops, es-
pecially wheat. In this place, Black's
Run was a raging torrent, causing
many families to leave their homes.
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washout occurred, delaying trains ten
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burg for several days. At Stokesville,
the tramways of the Stiegel Lumber
Corporation were washed away, and
a vast amount of valuable lumber
swept away. At Weaver's Crossing,
on the Norfolk and Western, a land-
slide hit a freight train, wrecking it,
but none of the crew was killed.

The Shenandoah is reported to be
higher than at any time since the
flood of 1873. From every portion of
the county come reports of the loss
of crops, bridges and outbuildings,
while at Broadway several parties had
to be rescued by paddling boats up to
their residences and taking them out
of windows. A conservative estimate
of the damage is \$250,000, and it may
be more.

Washout on Southern.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Winchester, Va., June 16.—The lower
Shenandoah Valley was visited this
morning by the most terrific rain
storm in recent years, over three
inches having fallen in Winchester
and vicinity within six hours. Many
small streams have become raging
torrents, and 200 feet of the roadbed
between the Southern and Northern
Railway at Broadway, blocking traffic
all day. Baltimore and Ohio tracks at
Strasburg were inundated. Crops are
slightly damaged.

Dan Will Rise Higher.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Danville, Va., June 16.—The recent
heavy rains which have prevailed in
this section for a week or more have
caused the Dan River to rise consid-
erably in the past day or so. The
water has not yet quite covered the
dam just above the Main Street Bridge,
nor are the rocks yet completely hid-
den, though in the next few days the
river will be much higher, as the
waters have not washed from the lands
into the neighboring creeks, which
eventually empty their waters into the
Dan.

In conversation with a well-known
farmer this morning, he stated that
unless the rains cease and the crops
have sun they will be damaged con-
siderably. The tobacco plants, which
grow quicker than any other plant,
become stunted with too much rain
and recover less quickly than do the
other plants.

Thousands of Acres Inundated.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Woodstock, Va., June 16.—With more
than two inches of rainfall in the past
twenty hours, the Shenandoah River is
higher than for many years. Thou-
sands of acres of wheat and corn are
inundated. The corn will be complet-
ely destroyed and the wheat will be
greatly damaged. At the place where
the Valley Light and Power Company
is building its dam some of the pre-
liminary work has been washed away.
The damage will amount to several
hundred dollars.

Ten-Foot Stage at Lynchburg.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Lynchburg, Va., June 16.—The James
River has reached a ten-foot stage
again to-night because of precipitation
here last night aggregating 2.23 inches.
The rainfall in the past week totals
nearly five inches.

Destructive Hail Storm.
Bristol, Va., June 16.—Big Stone Gap
and other portions of Wise county, Va.,
were visited by a destructive hail
storm last night. The hail fell to an
unusual depth, cutting garden and
truck crops to shreds and killing many
young fowls.

COMPARISON OF THE RIVAL FIGHTERS



JEFFRIES IN FINE SPIRITS.

After Bag-Punching Exercises Plays
Handball With Corbett.
Ben Lomond, Cal., June 16.—After
his somewhat exciting layoff yester-
day, Jeffries was back at work to-day
with more vigor than he has put into
his boxing this week. Never in bet-
ter humor, he joked with his friends
and trainers, and went at the punch-
ing bag with unusual vim. Possibly
his high spirits were due to some-
what reassuring reports in the morn-
ing papers, but he certainly behaved
as though Governor Gillett had in-
dorsed the fight, instead of dropping
a pile driver blow on it.
After the bag-punching exercises,
Jeffries defeated Corbett handily in
two straight handball games.

JOHNSON TAKES BRISK WALK.

Follows Outing With Dip in Surf and
Baseball Game.
San Francisco, Cal., June 16.—Undis-
turbed by the legal crisis, facing the
big fight, Jack Johnson to-day in-
stituted the change in his training pro-
gram announced yesterday. Instead of

Presbyterian Sunday School Union

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A. M. Return, leave Buckroe
Beach 6:30 P. M.
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perintendents of the various Pres-
byterian Sunday schools and at
depot morning of excursion.

the twelve-mile run he began the
day with an eight-mile brisk walk,
with his trainer, Tom Flanagan. Re-
turning from the walk, a dip in the
surf was followed by a game of ball.
The champion occupied the afternoon
with gymnasium work. No boxing
will be done until Saturday.
Johnson said to-day that he was
ready to go anywhere the promoters
might desire in case the fight could
not be held here. He declared that he
was in such perfect condition that he
would not ask for any postponement
on account of climatic changes.

Floods in Albemarle.
From advices received by Clara, Charles
A. Miller, of the office of the Commissioner
of Agriculture, the recent heavy rains have
caused the streams in Albemarle county to
rise to such an extent as to cause much
damage to crops and structures.

SAUNDERS AGAIN NAMED IN SECOND

Present Representative Renomi-
nated Without Opposition
for Congress.

SWANSON THRILLS CROWD

Former Governor Will Enter
Campaign—Predicts Victory
for Stuart.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Rocky Mount, Va., June 16.—Amid
scenes of unbounded enthusiasm, Judge
E. W. Saunders was to-day nominated
to succeed himself in Congress.

Following the example of the Dem-
ocrats of the Ninth, the Fifth District
Democrats decided to hold a conven-
tion this year, instead of a primary,
so a convention was called to meet at
this place to-day. Promptly at 12
o'clock, District Chairman R. A. James,
of Danville, called the convention to
order, and prayer was offered by Rev.

W. T. Roberts, rector of the Episcopal Church.

The committee on temporary organ-
ization announced the selection of Sen-
ator W. A. Garrett, of Henry county,
as temporary chairman, and C. B. Wil-
lis, secretary. The various commit-
tees were appointed and the conven-
tion adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock
in the afternoon.

Swanson Is Chairman.
On reassembling, the committee on
permanent organization reported the
selection of ex-Governor Swanson as
chairman, and C. B. Willis as sec-
retary. On taking the chair, Governor
Swanson made a brilliant speech, in
which he spoke in most hopeful terms
of the outlook for Democratic victory,
not only in Virginia, but in the nation.
He spoke in most feeling terms of
the campaign in days ago, when he
was the standard-bearer of the
Democracy in this district. In referring
to the fight over in the Ninth he said
that as sure as fate, Henry C. Stuart
would plant the flag of Democracy
on the ramparts of Republicanism, and
route Slomp and Slompism. Those who
heard his speech pronounced it a most
masterly one.

Tribute to Saunders.
Following the speech of Mr. Swan-
son, the roll of counties was called,
and Mr. Swanson, who was in the
chair, called R. A. James to preside,
and on behalf of Pittsylvania county,
threw his soul in the very pleasant
task, as he said, of nominating Judge
Saunders. He declared that he was
now at leisure, and that no man would
travel more miles, make more speeches,
or make a stronger effort to insure
the election of Judge Saunders than
he. He paid a beautiful tribute to the
ability and integrity of Judge Saun-
ders, and spoke in no uncertain man-
ner of the attempt made by his late op-
ponent to wrest the seat to which

He assured the convention that Pitt-
sylvania and Danville would each roll
up an old-time majority for Saunders,
and said that he hoped that each coun-
ty would strive to outdo the other in
the way of increasing the Democratic
vote at the coming election.
A number of seconding speeches were
made, and the nomination of Saun-
ders was made by acclamation.

Nominee Makes Speech.
A committee was appointed to notify
the nominee and escort him to the
stand. The appearance of Judge
Saunders was the signal for a tremen-
dous outburst of applause. In ac-
cepting the nomination he made a clear
cut speech, full of enthusiasm and wis-
dom. He dealt with national issues
principally, and showed his apprecia-
tion of the honor conferred upon him
in most feeling terms.

The counties were all well repre-
sented, there being more than 100 dele-
gates in attendance. A telegram was
read from Hon. Henry C. Stuart, the
Democratic nominee in the Ninth, in
which he sent regards to the Demo-
cratic of the Fifth, and expressed his
regret at his inability to attend.

Medical Examiners in Session.
Members of the State Board of Med-
ical Examiners are in Richmond from
their homes in various parts of the
State to pass upon a number of appli-
cations for license to practice medicine.
They are stopping at Murphy's Hotel,
where a meeting will be held to-day
at noon and will be followed by a
banquet.

Plans to Rebuild Armory.
Plans for remodeling the First Reg-
iment Armory will be gone over and
discussed on June 21 by the subcom-
mittee of the Council Committee on
Grounds and Buildings, appointed for
that purpose.

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